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## FRANCE'S TASK.

### NEW GOVERNMENT'S POLICY.

#### CONVINCED OF SUCCESS.

Paris, July 27. The Government has demanded exceptional facilities for the passage of the financial proposals, including the postponements of all interpellations making this a question of confidence.

The Ministerial declaration read in the Chamber and the Senate this afternoon, expressed absolute conviction of the possibility of rapidly improving French finances and restoring exchange.

The result depended entirely on immediate and firm collaboration with the Government in the Chamber.

A Bill will be submitted forthwith to cover the deficit necessary to meet liabilities and in order to avoid for ever the risk of further inflation the Chamber will be asked to vote the balance of necessary revenue.

#### TAX ON WEALTH?

If the dire necessity of meeting obligations without delay compels an increase in indirect taxes, as the experts suggested, acquired wealth would be asked to make a reasonable contribution through direct taxation, part of which would form the annual contribution to the Sinking Fund for national defence bonds.

The statement adds:—"The creditor nations, whom France is firmly determined to pay to the full extent of her powers, are, like ourselves, anxious to terminate the financial crisis. We do not profess to be able to solve in a few weeks, or even months, the whole economic and financial problem, which is practically universal. Financial sickness has been forced upon us. The important thing is to take the matter really in hand. France has passed through sadder and more serious periods, and has saved herself by union and energy. Victory to-day depends on the same conditions."—Reuter.

#### VOTES OF CONFIDENCE.

Paris, July 27. At the conclusion of the reading of the Ministerial declaration, the Chamber by 358 votes to 131 expressed confidence in the Government, agreeing to postpone interpellations until the financial proposals were passed.

The Chamber also passed by 418 votes to 31 a resolution of confidence in the Cabinet, agreeing to the exceptional procedure suggested by the Government to speed up the passage of financial measures, including a time-limit on speeches.—Reuter.

#### CHAMBER ADJOINS.

The Chamber decided that the Finance Committee must report on the Finance Bill within twenty-four hours. The Chamber then adjourned until Friday.—Reuter.

London, July 27.

The fluctuations in francs have moderated. French closed at 196 1/2 and Belgian weakened to 196 1/4.—Reuter.

#### THE GOVERNMENT'S PLANS.

Paris, July 28. The Government financial plans are outlined in a statement, which says that the aims are the restoration of credit, the balancing of the Budget, the redemption of national debt, the repatriation of French capital invested abroad, the reduction of public expenditure and the immediate raising by new indirect taxation two-and-a-half milliards of francs which it is estimated will provide the necessary Treasury funds. The Government further propose to readjust various duties to increase railway rates and taxes on mineral waters, motor cars, waterways, and business turnover and to revise Customs duties. Taxes on income from personal property will be increased by fifty per cent. Taxes on bearer securities will be reduced but others increased. Also estate duty and general income tax will be reduced.—Reuter.

## FLOODS ON EAST RIVER.

### SIMILAR EXPERIENCE TO HONGKONG.

#### AN INUNDATED CITY.

Baffled news has reached the Colony of the disastrous effects caused by the electric storm in Tung Koon city, in the East River district, on the 19th instant. This, it will be recalled, was the date of the calamitous floods in Hongkong.

It is stated that even the oldest inhabitant of Tung Koon cannot recall a storm of such severity. The whole city was flooded, the water rising in some streets to a height of fully fifteen feet. The whole city was like a huge lake, with the tops of buildings appearing above the water. Many people took refuge on the roofs of their houses, whilst the only means of communication from one part of the city to the other was by using boats.

Over a hundred houses collapsed, and there were many casualties. The damage is said to have reached several lakhs of dollars, and telegrams have been despatched to Canton appealing for immediate relief.

News from other parts of the East River shows that the whole district suffered badly as a result of the storm, and the plight of the people is indeed pitiable. Not having yet recovered from the effects of last year's war, and with conditions still unsettled by reason of the Northern campaign, further disaster has come with these floods, which have ruined much of the crops just as they were about to be harvested.

## OBSERVATORY MISHAP.

### MR. EVANS LOSES A FINGER.

Cricket enthusiasts and others will learn with sincere regret what occurred at the Observatory during the typhoon last week, when Mr. B. D. Evans, the well-known Civil Service player, badly injured his finger whilst assisting to hoist the typhoon signals, necessitating his removal to Hospital where his finger was amputated.

Mr. Evans, who is one of the Colony's best bowlers, was on duty at the Observatory and was assisting to hoist the No. 6 typhoon signal, when the mechanism of the winch became dislocated. Mr. Evans was investigating the cause, when his finger got jammed in the winch. His injury was of such a nature that he was subsequently taken to the Kowloon Hospital and the middle finger of his right hand was amputated at the first joint.

Mr. Evans was discharged from hospital yesterday.

## EUROPEANS ROBBED.

### THEFTS AT KOWLOON DOCKS.

Two thefts have occurred at Kowloon Docks within the last few days.

Mr. Forsyth, engineer, 2 Havilland Terrace, Kowloon Docks, reports that sometime between July 23rd and the 27th some person stole from his house three pieces of jewellery, valued \$40; two-valve wireless set, value \$60; and a pocket book containing private papers and \$3 in money.

The other robbery was reported by Mr. Bliss, No. 1, Tantallon Terrace, Kowloon Docks, who states that between July 16 and yesterday, various articles, to the total value of \$60.50, were stolen from his daughter's bedroom. These include a silver manjeune set, a silver tray, a silver basket, a fountain pen, and a purse containing \$2.50 in money.

Mr. E. R. Dovey, Government Analyst, reports that a platinum instrument has been stolen from a room in the Government Laboratory in Eastern Street. The value of the instrument is 27.

## FOURTH PATIENCE TEST.

### ENGLAND TOTALS 305 FOR FIVE.

#### 30 BEHIND AFTER SOUND BUT DULL CRICKET.

#### ALL FIVE CAUGHT.

London, July 27.

Play was resumed at Manchester to-day, in cold weather, with an overcast sky. The wicket was wearing well. Ten thousand attended.

The Australians were all out by 120, for 335, having batted altogether 378 minutes.

England Go In.

Hobbs was applauded on his coming out with Sutcliffe at 11.38.

There was a quiet start against Gregory and Grimmett, but on the advent of Ryder and Mailey, after 38 had been scored, batting was even quieter.

Fifty went up in an hour, then Sutcliffe chopped a leg-break and was caught by Oldfield off Mailey for 20.

Hobbs had then scored 37, and the first wicket fell with 58. registered. England had then but 100.

At the luncheon interval, both were undefeated, Hobbs having reached 53 and Tyldesley 16. The total was 90 for one wicket.

Dull Cricket.

The crowd swelled to 17,000 after lunch, but the announcement later in the afternoon that stumps would be drawn at six o'clock destroyed what little interest remained.

The game was inclined to be dull even though it was palpable that no decision could be reached.

Hobbs brought off many beautiful strokes, but his batting lacked spirit. Ernest Tyldesley was much more lively, and since he is a Lancashire man, his was the most popular success.

Hobbs Out.

The first 100 was not hoisted until play had been in progress two hours. The partnership added 35 more and then Hobbs, attempting a drive, misjudged it, and when Dr. Sun died in Peking, more than a year ago, Mr. Wong volunteered to guard his coffin near the West Hill.

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Brighter Cricket.

Woolley joined Tyldesley, who had then scored 39, and, for some time afterwards, the cricket was much brighter. The two hundred went up without further loss after 215 minutes, but 26 runs later Tyldesley gave Oldfield a chance, which was promptly accepted. The pair had scored 90 runs, and Tyldesley's share had been 42, while Woolley had hit 45. Tyldesley was at the crease for 169 minutes and he had displayed magnificent cutting and driving, having hit seven fours.

At the tea interval, the score stood at 230 (for 3 wickets). Woolley having just reached his 50, not out, and Hendren being not out without having opened his tally.

Woolley Hits Six, Then Out.

Woolley proceeded to an effort to force the pace after tea and he hit Malley out of the ground for a six. Soon after he essayed a similar shot but misjudged Malley's ball and was caught at extra-cover by Ryder. Woolley had scored 58 in 90 minutes, quite the brightest effort so far, and he had hit two sixes and five fours.

Hendren, who had scored on three in a partnership of 18, was joined by G. T. S. Stevens, who hit out lustily and had scored 21 in quick time before making a bad stroke in skying a full toss from Malley which was caught by Bardsley at short-leg.

Hendren Scores Up.

Hendren had added five whilst Stevens was batting, but he opened his shoulders when joined by Kilner and secured the bulk of the 33 runs added without further loss before time was called.

## OUTRAGE ON PARIS MEMORIAL.

### NOTED FRANCO-AMERICAN STATUE DAMAGED.

#### RUSSIAN'S "PROTEST."

Paris, July 27.

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## GOVERNOR OF INDO-CHINA.

### PRESENT APPOINTMENT EXTENDED.

Paris, July 27.

M. Varenne has confirmed his appointment as Governor-General of Indo-China for a further six years.—Reuter.

## PRINCE IN CAMP.

### PERSONALLY LEADS WELSH GUARDS.

Rugby, July 27.

The Prince of Wales is among the Welsh Guards now encamped in wooden huts at Pirbright Camp.

The Prince, who is Colonel-in-

Chief of the Regiment, is taking part in ordinary field training. This morning, the Prince, riding his charger, placed himself at the head of the guards and led them over Chobham Ridges as a preliminary to extensive field operations.—British Wireless.

## BRITISH POLICY IN CHINA.

### A DECLARATION OF FRIENDSHIP.

#### DESIRE FOR BOTH GOOD AND GOODWILL.

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## CANTON AND FREE PRESS.

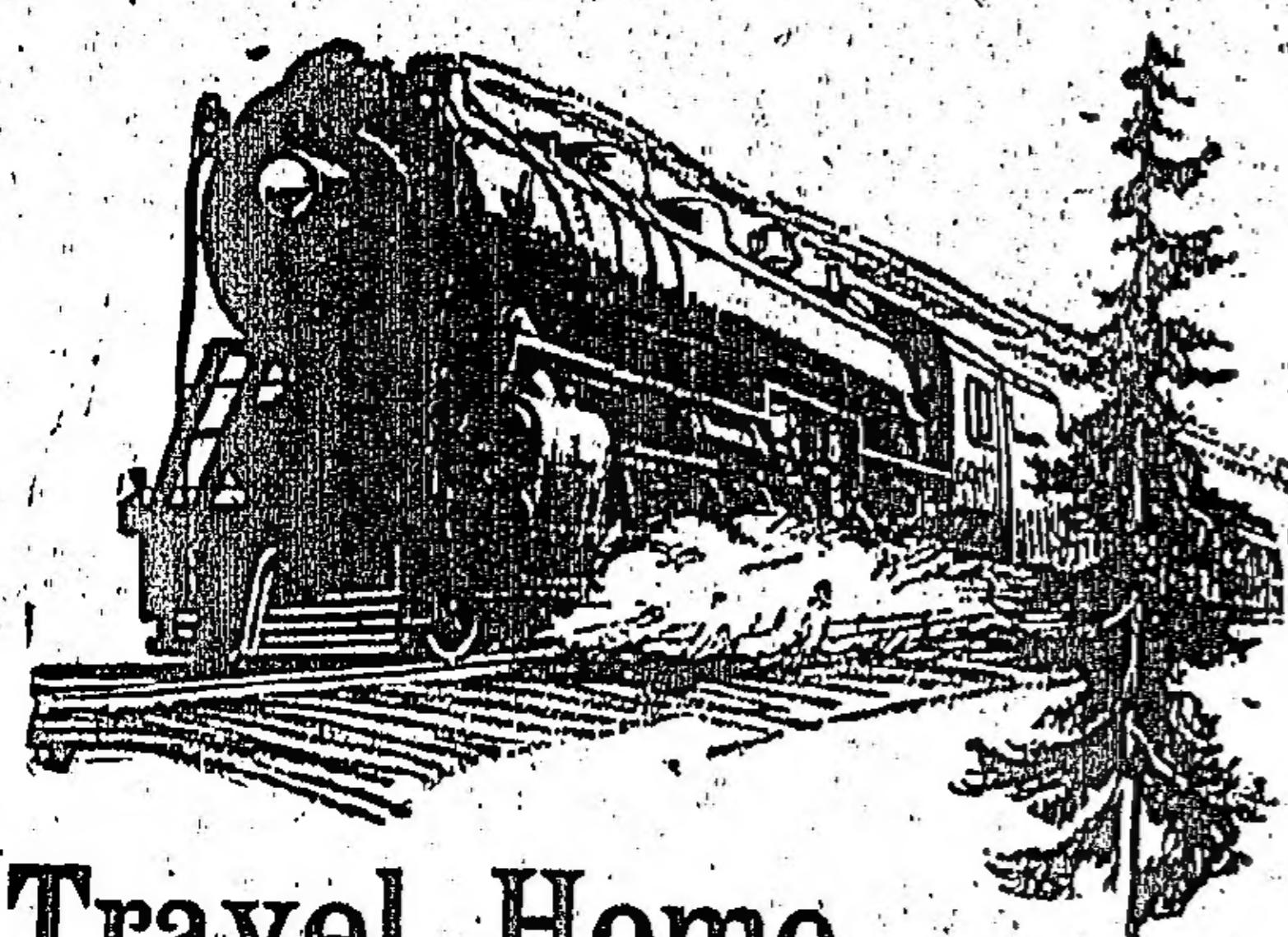
### ABSIDU DEMANDS RESISTED.

Paris, July 27.

The Canton Press is to-day engaged in a struggle to preserve the very existence and fundamental principles of journalism," says the Chinese Press Association of that city. Were the terms of the printers tolerated, says the Association, the editorial policy and news and advertising services would be wholly directed, by the Kuomintang Workers' Conference, a body backed by extremists who have been working energetically for the last two or three years to control all publications for the purpose of propaganda.

The Kuomintang Workers' Conference, in addition to the demands for \$21 for printers and \$31 for compositors as the minimum wages, are trying to force the publishers to agree that no comments or articles unfavourable to the workers may be published and that no newspaper may suspend publication without the consent of the workers who, during such suspension, shall be paid two months' extra pay as a sacrifice for having to leave employment.

The terms, as announced, are ridiculed by the Canton journalists, and they have decided to remain inactive. In the meantime, the Workers' Conference is managing their own internal affairs.



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### OFFICE BOY MURDER.

#### CHINA COMMERCIAL COMPANY CASE CONCLUDED.

The case in which an office boy, formerly employed at the China Commercial Company of Connaught Road, is charged with murdering a fellow worker on June 28, was concluded at the Central Magistrate yesterday afternoon when the defendant, after the hearing of further evidence, was committed for trial at the Criminal Sessions.

Dr. Cheung Wing-tai, a medical practitioner of Hongkong, said that he was first consulted by the defendant in June last year. The accused complained of a "crawling sensation" under the skin and said that he thought he had contracted leprosy. Witness made an examination but found no signs of leprosy. He thought the defendant was suffering from neurasthenia.

Dr. Cheung prescribed a tonic consisting of sodium bromide and arsenic and gave the defendant an intravenous injection of neo salvarsan, which was repeated at a subsequent visit the beginning of this year.

There was no other organic trouble with the defendant, who was informed of witness's diagnosis.

Mr. Hazlerigg, who prosecuted for the Crown, asked witness the mental condition of the defendant last June, and Dr. Cheung replied that prisoner did not appear to be normal and was mentally depressed. He spoke in a low voice and his thoughts seemed to be wandering.

#### Leprosy or Neurasthenia.

Some time in July last year the defendant again visited witness and said that his crawling sensations had ceased and he felt better. In March this year, however, he again complained of the sensations under the skin and reiterated his belief that he was suffering from leprosy. Witness still thought he was merely suffering from neurasthenia and that he was under the delusion he was suffering from leprosy.

In reply to Mr. Hazlerigg, witness said that it was a common belief among the Chinese that a crawling sensation under the skin was a symptom of leprosy, but it has never been described as such in any of the technical books in Western medicine.

Witness personally held the view that it was not a sign of leprosy. Such a sensation might sometimes be a sign of neurasthenia and other nerve diseases.

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### TAXIS FOR SHANGHAI.

#### A FORTY CENT MINIMUM FARE.

Commenting on the transfer of a number of Hongkong Taxicabs to Shanghai, the *China Press* says:

There's good news for the taxicab users of Shanghai in the announcement that 100 new motorized taxis will soon be here, and a 40 cent minimum fare established.

The new company is to be organized by Charles Hugo, formerly manager of the Star Theatre in Hongkong, now interested in the Hongkong Taxicab Company and known to many local persons as one of the theatrical pair of Hugo Brothers, who had a magician's show on world tour for many years.

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According to H. C. Wentworth, half-brother of Mr. Hugo, the latter is now in Hongkong arranging for the shipment of the first 100 taxis from that city to Shanghai. They will arrive within the next three weeks and the new company will begin its taxicab service. Later 50 additional cars will be shipped here.

The new line will be something novel in taxicab history in Shanghai, since each car will be equipped with a meter, and the rate will be fixed according to mileage, instead of a flat rate based on time, as is the present taxi charge. This will bring a much cheaper rate in most instances, since the time of the ride will start when the taxicab user steps into the car, rather than when the car leaves the cab station. Likewise, when the car is not in motion, but is parked, the meter runs very slowly, thus giving a cheaper rate for time not actually spent in riding.

Permits to operate have been obtained from the authorities in both the International Settlement and the French Concession, and parking spaces have been granted on The Bund, Nanking Road, and other central points. Service stations will also be established at convenient places in Shanghai, and one central garage will care for cars not in operation, and undergoing repairs.

The cars are all of Citroen make, painted dark green. The chauffeurs will be trimly uniformed, and each machine will be vacuum-cleaned at the end of each day's runs, Mr. Wentworth states. Each taxi can hold four persons.

The cabs have been in Hongkong for some time, but the Hongkong Taxicab Company has found that there is not enough business recently in that city to warrant their retention. Originally 200 cabs were shipped to Hongkong, and but 100 will be kept there.

#### BOOTLEGGING.

#### HEAD OF SYNDICATE CONVICTED.

New York, July 27.

The "king of bootleggers," William Dwyer, head of a forty million dollar syndicate, and E. C. Cohron, were convicted by a Federal Court jury of conspiracy to violate the liquor and customs laws, and sentenced to two years' imprisonment in the penitentiary, and fines of ten thousand and five thousand dollars, respectively.

Reuters' American Service.

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### WORLD TONNAGE.

#### COMPARISONS WITH THE WAR YEAR.

London, July 27.

The British Isles owned 19,400,000 of the 64,784,000 tons approximate total of world shipping at the end of June, recorded in Lloyd's register.

The total world not increase in a year was 143,000 compared with an increase of 618,000 the year before.

United States 9,500,000, Japan 2,250,000, Italy 1,720,000, France 142,000, Holland 1,081,000, the British Dominions 1,057,000.

British Isles tonnage increased barely two per cent over tonnage owned in 1914, whereas foreign tonnage increased nearly 64 per cent.

Germany shows the only decrease, namely 2,073,000.

Britain's 42 per cent. of the world's steam and motor tonnage in 1914 has now shrunk to under 31 per cent.—Reuters.

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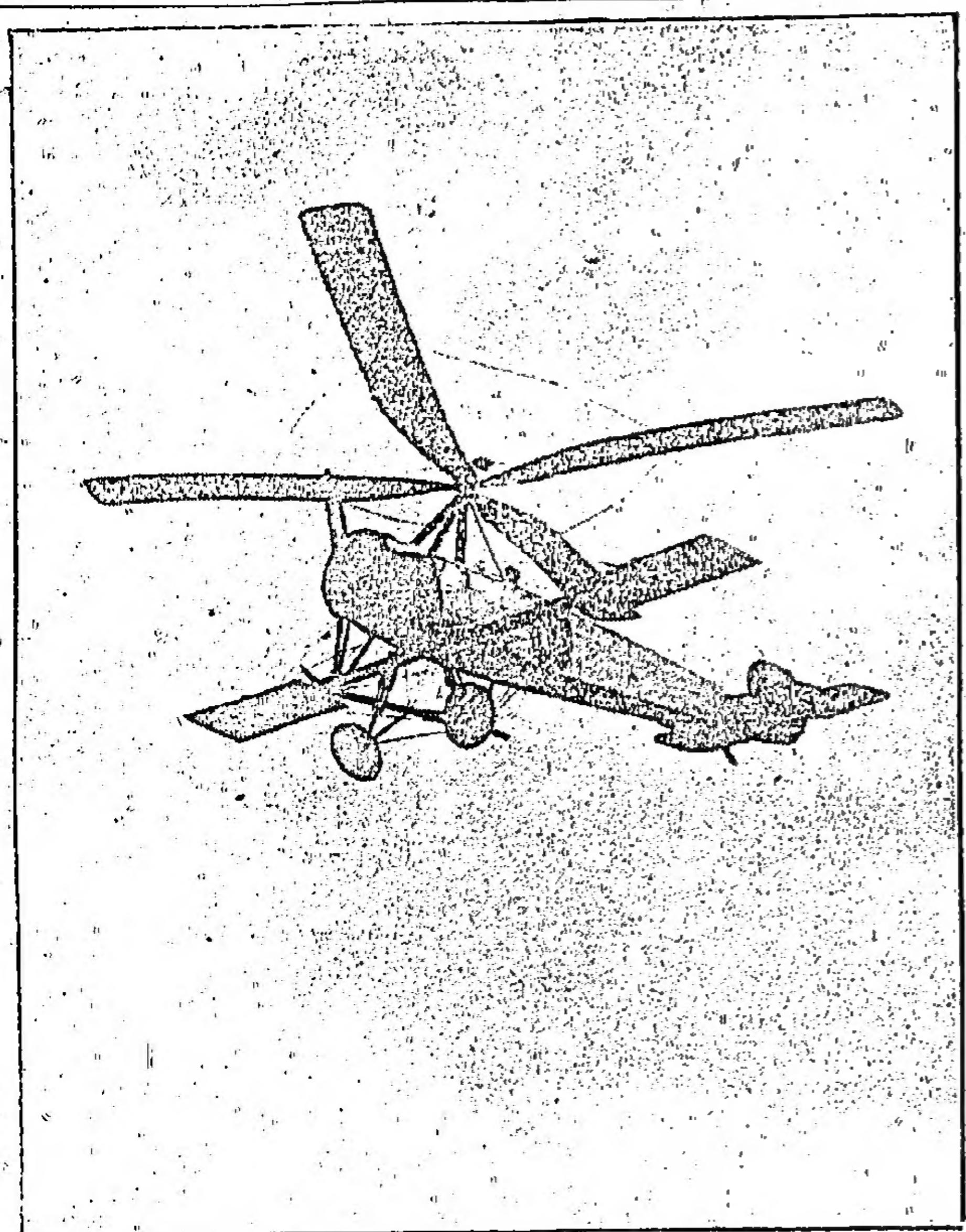
AGENTS



THE KING AND QUEEN AT WIMBLEDON.—Their Majesties the King and Queen attended the opening of the Jubilee Lawn Tennis Championship Meeting at Wimbledon, and presented commemorative medals to the ex-champions. Our photograph shows Mr. P. F. Hadow, who won the Lawn Tennis Championship in 1878, being presented by the Queen with the medal awarded to former title holders. (Times copyright.)



MAGNA CARTA COMMEMORATION.—The Lord Chief Justice (Lord Hewart) speaking at the Runnymede service on Sunday (June 20). To the right of Lord Hewart are Lord Lincolnshire and the Speaker (Mr. Whitley). (Times copyright.)



A BRITISH BUILT AUTOGIRO.—The first Autogiro to be built in England from the designs of Señor Juan de la Cierva was tested at Hamble, Southampton, on June 22. Our picture shows the Autogiro in flight. (Times copyright.)



HONOURED IN AMERICA.—Oberlin College awarded the highest honour it has to confer on these two men, the degree of LL. D. They are Charles Lathrop Pack, American naturalist and Hsiang Hsi K'ung, a well-known Chinese.



A GOOD TOSS.—Boy Scouts of Hackney, England, tossing one of their fellows in a blanket during an outing in Hadley Woods, last month.



HUGE ENGINES CRASH.—This picture shows one of the most disastrous passenger train wrecks in recent years. The Chicago-Cincinnati-Pittsburgh Limited of the Pennsylvania Railroad crashed into the Pittsburgh-Washington Express at Gray's Station, about 50 miles east of Pittsburgh. The Washington Express stopped to repair a coupling hose and the limited, following close behind, ploughed into it. Many people were killed and many injured.

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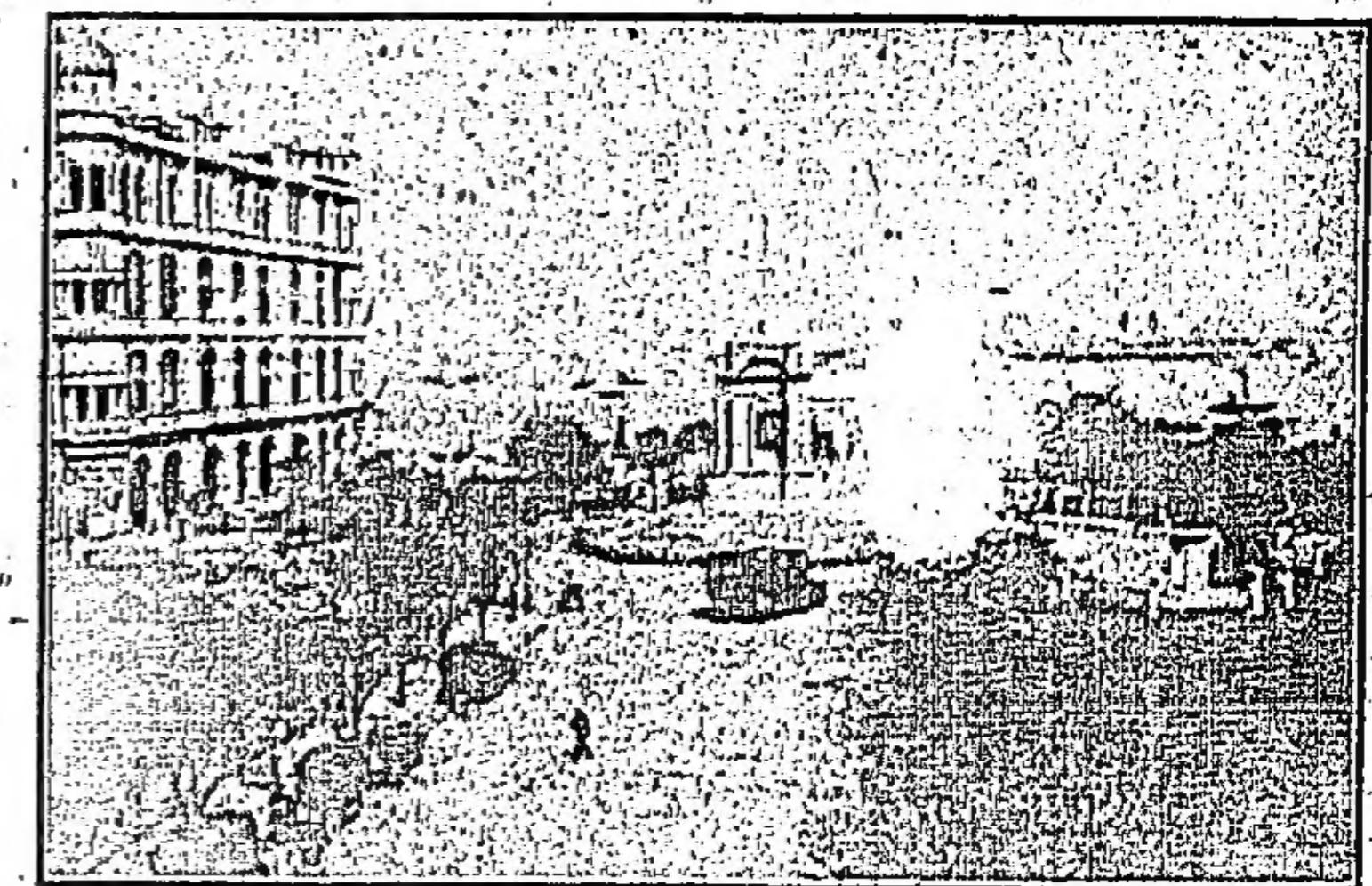
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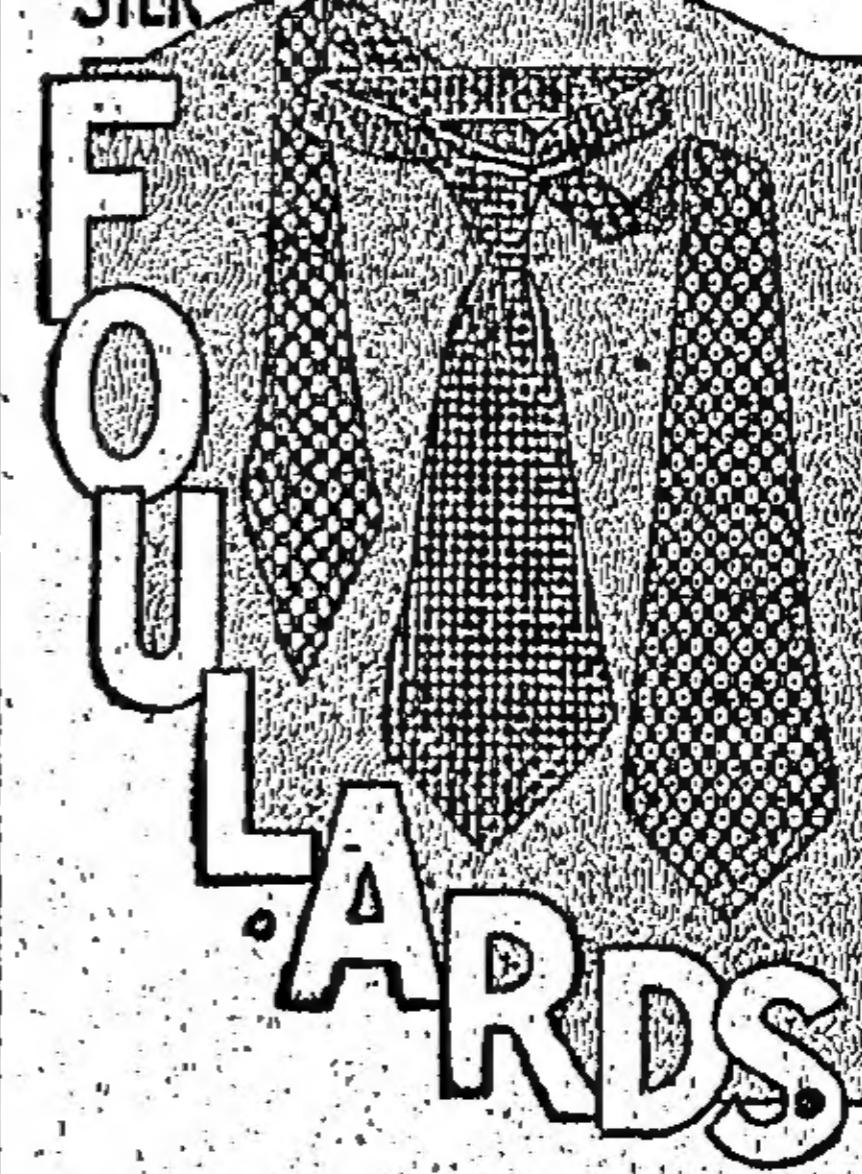
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## HERESY HUNT.

### S.O.S. THAT SHOCKED THE PRESBYTERY.

A modern heresy hunt, in which the hunter was the Rev. James Hunter, and the innocent victim Professor R. Haire, came before the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Belfast recently.

Mr. Hunter had charged Professor Haire with instilling "modernist doctrines" into ministerial students at the Assembly's College. The matter had come before the Belfast Presbytery, who expressed regret that Mr. Hunter should have adopted such "irresponsible methods," and Mr. Hunter now appealed to the Assembly.

Dr. Irwin drew attention to a circular that had been issued bearing Mr. Hunter's name.

The College "Seedling."

At the top of the first page there were the large letters "S.O.S." Midway in the page were the words, "Faith or infidelity, which is it to be?" and at the bottom was, "The Presbyterian College, a seedling of heresy."

The first paragraph, said Dr. Irwin, charged Professor Haire with violating his ordination vow and declared him to be "a living lie." Those tremendous accusations were made without proof given in the circular that would bear a moment's investigation.

The Presbytery accepted Mr. Hunter's assurance that he had no personal animosity towards Professor Haire, but he must allow him (Dr. Irwin) to suggest that in putting forth his plea Mr. Hunter was copying a somewhat doubtful model.

By a majority of 499 to 115 the Assembly dismissed Mr. Hunter's appeal.

## MOTORS IN SHANGHAI.

### GRAND TOTAL OF 5,264.

Last Thursday's Shanghai Municipal Gazette contains some extraordinarily interesting tables showing the number and makes of motor vehicles—cars, trucks, trailers, vans and motor-cycles—registered in the International Settlement.

Altogether these amount to 5,264 vehicles of all sorts, representing 366 different makers. And to these, of course, should be added hundreds of vehicles registered in the French Concession.

The table of motor cars (as distinct from trucks and motor-cycles) give the following figures of cars most in use. Public and private cars are added together:

BUICK	543
FORD	406
Studebaker	301
Morris (Cowley and Oxford)	227
Overland	195
Dodge	184
Hupmobile	182
Chevrolet	176
Fiat	156
Citroen	140
Austin	113
Essex	89
Standard	84
Willys-Knight	55
Renault	52

There are also 12 Rolls-Royces, 12 Daimlers, 35 Cadillacs, 9 Palges, 34 Packards, 4 Pierce-Arrows, 2 Panhard-Levassor and 1 Itala. Curiously enough there does not appear to be a single Morris, which, 20 years ago, was one of the most popular and successful cars. But as stated, these records are for the International Settlement only.

## OBITUARY.

### SHANGHAI RESIDENT.

The death is announced of Mr. Henry Edward Samuel Pickering which took place on Thursday morning at 6 o'clock in the new Country Hospital, Shanghai, where he had been a patient only since Monday morning.

Mr. Pickering came out to China to join the firm of Messrs. Weeks & Co., Ltd., in 1909 at the age of 22 years. Terminating his three year contract with Weeks & Co., during which time he also served the company in Hankow, it is understood that he was associated with A. E. S. Thompson & Co. In 1922 he joined Frazar & Co., which he left in October 1924 to become identified with Covers, Ltd. At the time of his death he was a member of the firm of Thomas F. Guthrie & Co., 12 Nanjing Road, a firm which supplied some of the building materials to the hospital where he died.

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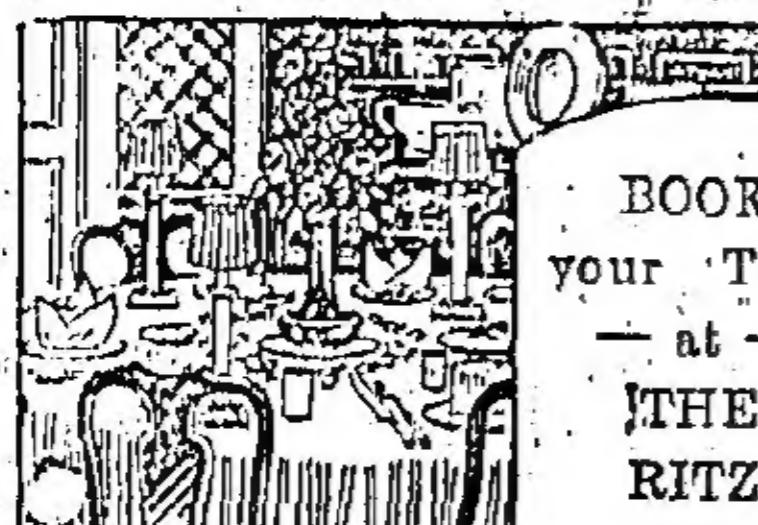
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with a view to clearing the environs  
of Damascus a French column  
dispersed 200 rebels, who left ten  
corpses.

Another column routed 400  
rebels, who abandoned 55  
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## CORRESPONDENCE.

## HORRIBLE!

[To the Editor of the Hongkong  
Telegraph.]

Sir.—Some months ago I perused with interest a complaint pertinent to the drowsy way in which a dug-out in Mongkok was being filled.

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The gentleman who wrote the correspondence the last time and many others apparently do not relish mosquito bites to judge from their hilabalo in the press. As I am a connoisseur of mosquito life I can assure you that he is quite a harmless insect compared with some of our brokers and business sharks.

In short the mosquito, although being addicted to a pernicious habit of stinging, is quite a well-behaved sort of creature. But alas! we must chase him out of home and hearth and he must quit too.—Yours, etc.

K. MING SING.

A COUNTER-  
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THE SOUTH.

Peking, July 27.  
It is stated that in the course of a few days the Hupéh forces and their allies will launch a general offensive by sea as well as by land against the southern invaders.

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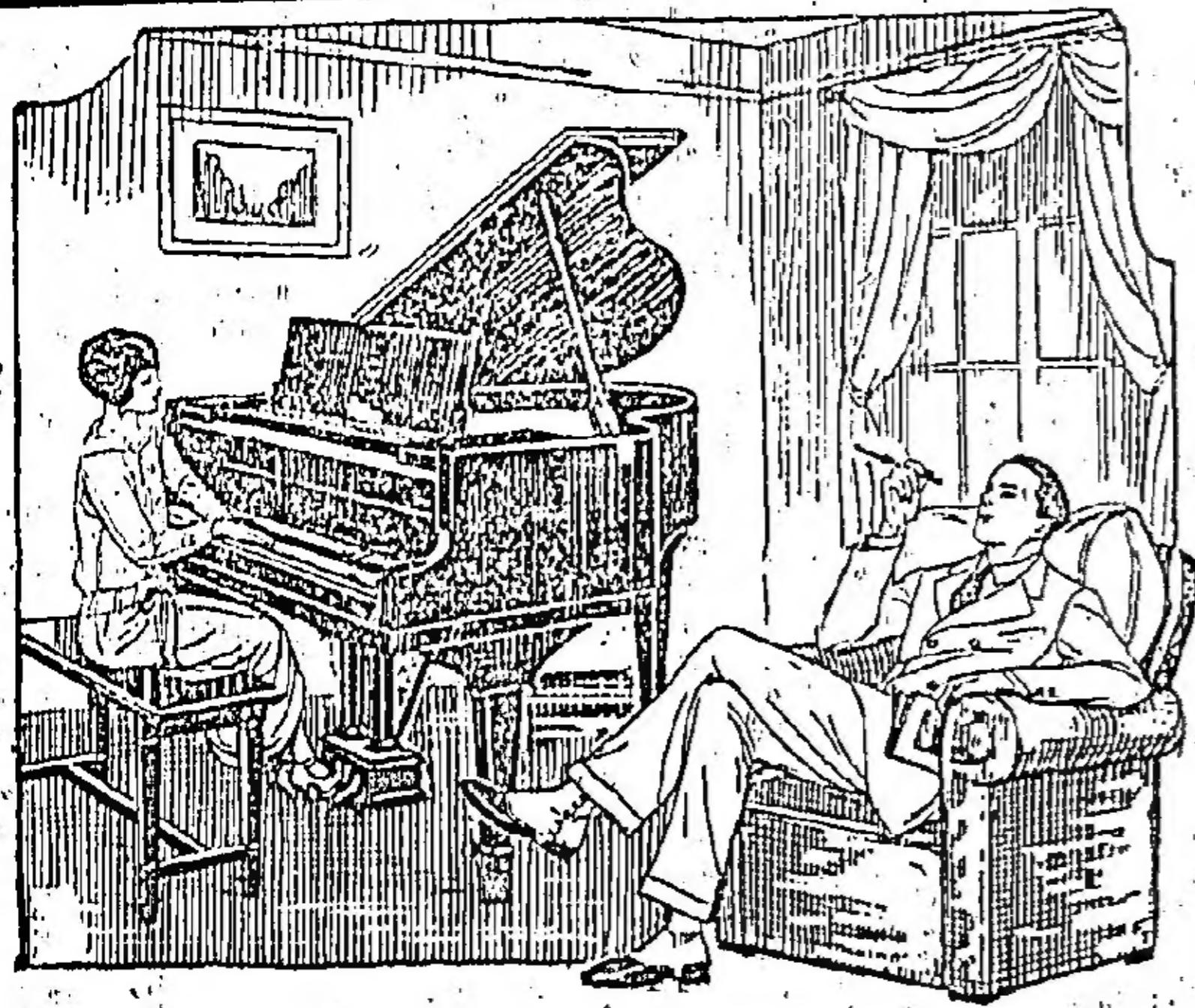
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## The Telegraph

WEDNESDAY, JULY 28, 1926.

## THE MINING PROBLEM.

It will be thirteen weeks on Saturday since the coal strike first started at Home and, judging by the temper of the speeches delivered in the House of Commons on Monday, it will be a long while yet before there is a resumption of work. All of us individually and severally, inevitably lay the blame for this failure to find a settlement upon the party for whom, in normal times, we have the least regard, and it is interesting and illuminating to notice how each one of us can always succeed in justifying the views we hold. Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. Ramsay MacDonald are not alone in this. The Government is now posing as the helpless spectator who refuses to make anything other than a very limited contribution to the cause of settlement, plus the performance of certain acts which ought to help in the future, although not just yet. The miners are playing the role of the bludgeoned and coerced workers, robbed of a time concession and also reduced in economic circumstances, whilst the owners, obviously out to fight to a finish for some reduction in costs, blame both the miners for obstinacy and the Government for dalliance. The truth, of course, lies somewhere in between all these mutual censures. We have previously said that we blame the Government for not being a little more patient before the stoppage and for its vacillation since. It once promised a partial subsidy, it has withdrawn that promise; it once firmly stated that there can be no "legislative" settlement of the dispute and that it must be an economic one, and yet it goes calmly ahead to legislate. There has been a lack of consistency that has resulted in the creation of hopes only to be followed by a blackness of despair and a reaffirmation of strike determination. The miners have been obstinate—just that and little else. They refused to accept the Samuel Commission Report though they would like the chance of accepting it, wholly now, and this habit of refusing everything has persisted in face of reasoning and something like an offer of compromise. We do not like the idea of sacrificing the seven-hour day, even temporarily, but, when confronted with hard economics that require immediate application, it sometimes happens that a man has to make a concession to his ideals and be content with the best practicalities possible. An eight-hour day with little reduction in wages would not have been an intolerable interregnum pending other readjustments, but the miners have fought and

fought. In Warwickshire it looks as though a fair number of men are disobeying the orders of the Federation, and Mr. A. J. Cook, the Miners' Secretary, must be a little dubious as to the solidarity of the opposition to the eight-hour day when he promises to take a ballot of the Federation's members, but he threatens to resign if the vote goes against his ideas.

Whatever prospect of a settlement there might exist lies in the direction of a "cave in" among the men. Mr. Baldwin's latest speech has been rejected with despair by the Labour Leader in the House of Commons, and there seems nothing likely to eventuate from the owners' different from what has been known all along. If the men do consent to an eight-hour day it ought to be definitely understood it is but a temporary measure, and it ought to be hedged about by strict conditions. There should be reorganisation on the lines of the recommendations of the Samuel Commission and both the Government and the owners could do much in that connection to substantiate their claim that they are anxious to do everything possible to make lower pay or longer hours avoidable. At the moment, the miners feel that they are to be the sole contributors to the lower costs, and the sooner shall we be approaching the stage when a really amicable settlement of the industry's problems can be effected.

## Canton Labour Problems.

We note with much satisfaction the movement which is on foot in Canton for the control of the labour movement. Whilst it has to be conceded that the Chinese worker has too often in the past been oppressed and not given a fair return for the services which he performs, it is equally the case that in recent years there has been ample evidence of tyranny by the Labour Unions, not only in Canton but here as well. No-one can reasonably object to trade unionism as such. The workers have every right to seek the protection of his interests by combination. When, however, as so often in recent times, Labour presumes to be a law unto itself, to indulge in all manner of illegalities and to resort to intimidation on wholesale lines, then we have a right to expect action for the curbing of such activities. In Canton, there has lately been a great deal of trouble, and not a little bloodshed, caused by conflicts between rival labour organisations, and it will be a distinct step forward in the unification of the industry's problems now made.

During a raid carried out by Revenue Officer Powell, and a party of Chinese Revenue Officers at No. 4 Tung On Sun Street, third floor, they seized seven pistols and five revolvers, all loaded with six or seven rounds of various makes and calibres. Four men and one woman were arrested.

The return showing the number of cases of notifiable diseases which occurred in the Colony during the week ended Saturday last shows that there was one imported case of smallpox, two cases of enteric fever, one of paratyphoid fever and one of cerebro spinal fever, all Chinese. There was one case of animal rabies. The Colony had a clean bill of health on Monday.

The following vessels are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong to-day:—Melania, Knowsley Hall, Taiyo, Maru, Chenan, Perla, Haining, Anhui, Romeo, Taiping, Talambo, Sandviken, President Jackson, President Wilson, President Medlin, Yuensang, Bandong, Maru, Kwangchow, Kotso Maru, Hector, Kwongsang, Zosma, Taishan, San, Kaigan, Peru, Lungshan, Chukwa Maru, Sekko Maru, Tandarens and Katu Maru.

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## DAY BY DAY.

WERE HE EVER SO BENIGHTED, FORGETFUL OF HIS HIGH CALLING, THERE IS ALWAYS HOPE IN A MAN WHO ACTUALLY AND EARNESTLY WORKS.—Carlyle.

One Chinese case of typhoid fever was reported yesterday.

The weather forecast up till noon to-morrow is:—South winds, moderate; fair.

Mr. Henry Bagshaw Henry (86), of The Thatched House Club, for 37 years in the service of the P. and O. Steam Navigation Company, left estate valued at £37,582 (net, personally £37,484).

The Singapore Ex-Service Flying Association have received from Mr. Alan Cobham a reply to their invitation stating that he will be pleased to accept their invitation to dinner when he arrives in Singapore.

The Hongkong Radio Society intends to broadcast a special trial programme from the Morning Post Building on Friday between 8.30 and 10 p.m. Those having receiving sets are asked to listen in (wave-length 475 metres) and report the result of reception.

According to a report from Chinese sources, strike pickets in Canton on Monday seized two Indian watchmen employed by a foreign house as they were walking on the Bund and took them to their headquarters presumably accusing them of infringing the picket regulations.

A revolver loaded in five chambers, and a dagger, which were discovered by a Chinese constable among a heap of stones at the junction of Boundary Street and Laichikok Road, were ordered to be confiscated by Mr. J. H. B. Nihill at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

We understand, says the Malay Mail, that the Hon. Mr. W. H. Thorne, the well-known Penang lawyer, has been appointed a judge of the Straits Settlements and F.M.S. Mr. Thorne, who is now in England on holiday, is, we understand, reading for the Bar. He will probably be called this month.

Arrested yesterday on a charge of being on board the s.s. Van Cloon without permission, five Chinese were released on bail of \$50 each. None of the men appeared at the Marine Court this morning, when the case was down for hearing, and the bail was estreated.

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## CORRESPONDENCE.

### THE WATER RESTRICTIONS.

[To the Editor of the Hongkong Telegraph.]

Sir,—I shall be very much obliged if you would kindly insert this letter through the medium of your valuable paper.

In view of the fact, that all the reservoirs in this Colony are almost overflowing, I think it is a shame that the Water Authority should make the middle and poor classes suffer for want of water.

There is no doubt that quite a number of hydrants are turned on continually but each one at a very considerable distance. One

always sees a long row of pails, buckets and kerosine tins, when there is a hydrant nearby; in fact, they occupy the whole length of the street. Fighting and quarrelling are quite common.

Although there is a supply of water to be turned on daily for two consecutive hours that is not sufficient. There are about two or three families living in a flat among the middle class and from five to six in the poorer class. Each flat gets half an hour or so. A family at least consists of three or four persons; thus how many minutes can each family get?

I have seen people with my own eyes walking up to Robinson Road and up the hills just for a bucket of water and use it for drinkable purposes. Everyone knows it is not safe, and yet what could one do? A person may live without any money, but it is impossible to get on without water.

Do you expect anyone, especially the coolie class, to go and wait three or four hours for a bucket of water to clean up their homes, or to have a daily bath after the toll of the day? To purchase water is absolutely beyond their reach.

It is high time that the Government should do something to it, in order to prevent the outbreak of some kind of disease, thus endangering the lives of the public. May I suggest that the Water Authority turn on the supply for three or four hours instead of two, since tons and tons of water are wasted daily? After all, it is only for the benefit of the public.

Thanking you for the insertion of this letter.—Yours, etc., INTOLERABLE. Hongkong, July 27th, 1926.

Passengers departing yesterday by s.s. President Madison included Mr. M. Manuk, Miss Manuk; and Mr. R. R. Roxburgh.

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## BEAUTY PARLOUR.

### NEW HONGKONG VENTURE.

Ladies will doubtless be interested in the announcement that the "Beauty Parlour Parisiana," which has been organised in connection with Madame Flint's establishment, will be opened on August 1st, in the present premises in Pedder Street.

Under the supervision of Madame A. Landau, who has had much experience in Paris, the new salon will be staffed by European assistants thoroughly qualified in the latest methods of facial treatment, hair-dressing etc. Shingling will be one of the specialities.

Madame Landau previously visited the East when she opened the Beauty Parlour at the Astor House Hotel, Shanghai, a venture which met with much success. Since relinquishing charge there, she has toured the Continent studying various forms of skin and hair treatment and is well acquainted in hand and electric massage, violet ray application, etc.

Deaths in the Punjab during the recent plague between March 1 and May 15 numbered 54,000.

There is, in Manhattan, an iron. Commander Derwent Simons, of "poor little rich men," whose hearts have "gone down to the sea in ships," but who have been divorced from their yearnings by the exigencies of business. But they have found, some compensation in carrying on a sea game such as only rich men could afford to play. Ship lovers all, they are tied to the land. And as they build models that cost as much, and sometimes more, than would a sailboat yacht. Some of their ship models have cost up to \$30,000.

If Adam brushed his hair, he was the original party of the first part.

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What the advertiser is after seems to be what "Ferdinand Count Fathom" calls the gentle comedy of the polite world.

The rooster has a heap of nerve.

Just think, and you won't doubt it.

The hen will lay an egg and then

The rooster crows about it.

The ghost of Archbishop Laud, who was executed in 1645, has appeared on the royal estate at Windsor, according to two people, etchings, men's tennis doubles, who claim to have seen the apparition swim out to sea.

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## CANTON STUDENTS.

## THE LATEST TROUBLES.

In addition to labour troubles, Canton is now faced with student difficulties.

The students of Kwong Wah Medical College, a private incorporated institution, supported by Chinese practitioners of Western medicine, are still clamouring for the dismissal of the Dean, notwithstanding the standing of the Board of Directors that the power of appointing or removing members of the teaching staff belongs to the management.

The students have declared a boycott of the institution and are preventing new students from seeking admission. The attempt of the College to re-open, without the deserted students, may be impossible, as pickets are posted around the premises to oppose any person trying to enter the institution.

The Pui-ching Baptist Academy in Tungshin, Canton, will have to continue its senior middle school on account of the demands of the students. The Academy lately found that the number of students in attendance and the financial resources it has in its possession do not warrant the continuation of its senior middle school classes and, therefore, decided to suspend them. The Kuomintang authorities, however, appear to hold that "once a school always a school," and the Pui-ching Academy must operate all its classes, despite reasons which may exist for discontinuation.

## EMPIRE SETTLEMENT.

THE PROBLEM OF  
AUSTRALIA.

Rugby, July 27.

Mr. Amery, Secretary for the Dominions, stated in the House of Commons that during the year ended May 31st last, 8,536 men, 6,826 women, and 11,036 children, making a total of 26,398 persons were assisted under the Empire Settlement Act to proceed to Australia. The numbers of emigrants to New Zealand assisted during the same period, were 2,587 men, 2,446 women, and 3,760 children; or a total of 8,797 persons.

Co-incidentally, in a speech at the annual meeting of the Empire Parliamentary Association, the Prime Minister made a declaration that "by far the most important thing for Australia, for the peace of the world and our own race, is that there should grow up there a community larger than at present exists—a community of pure-bred stock from the British Isles." Mr. Baldwin added that he thought the forthcoming visit of the Delegation of Empire Parliamentary Association to Australia would do an immense amount of good. It had, always seemed to him, there was a real difficulty in understanding problems that had to be faced, even by men of our own blood, living on the other side of the world. It was only by close personal contact that we could really understand and sympathise.—*British Wireless*.

## RELIGION IN MEXICO.

CATHOLICS ACTIVE AND  
ANXIOUS.

Mexico City, July 27.

Catholic churches throughout the country are most active, in view of the fact that the usual forms of worship will cease on Sunday when the Government's religious regulations become effective. Masses are being said half-hourly by crowded congregations and thousands of children are being baptised. The Archbishop is most busy instructing the priests from the country districts with regard to their conduct during the crisis. It is believed that the majority of them will be taken into the families of Catholic laymen and that they will don mitri and pursue lay occupations until permitted to resume religious duties.

Government officials defend the action of President Calles in enforcing the Constitution and declare that Catholic reactionaries have been trying to participate in and control politics in Mexico ever since Mexico's independence from Spain.—*Reuter's American Service*.

## THE HOTEL INCIDENT.

PROFESSOR TO PAY  
COMPENSATION.

The case in which Professor Langner was charged with assaulting the head boy at the Hongkong Hotel, was concluded before Mr. R. E. Lindsell, at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Mr. Lindsell remarked that it was quite clear that there must have been some misunderstanding, as the defendant and complainant did not understand each other's language. He thought the Professor actually did push or hit the boy so that he fell. He would record a conviction on the assault charge; the Professor would be bound over in a bond of \$50 for a period of six months to keep the peace, and would have to pay \$10 compensation to the Hotel boy.

Evidence was given by M. Regad, Professor Langner's secretary, who stated that they went to a table near a verandah when the boy had told them they could not have a certain table. The boy stood behind the Professor's chair, and, although told to go away several times, he refused to do so. The Professor, rising slightly from his chair, pushed the boy and the latter fell.

In reply to Mr. R. A. Wadeson, who was defending, witness said he saw the Professor throw an order book on the floor.

Professor Langner said he had another witness, who had not come to Court.

Mr. Wadeson submitted that on account of the Professor's un-governable temper he had knocked the boy down, and, from his point of view, he had been so badly treated that the remainder of the servants in the Hotel refused to wait on the defendant, and it was only with considerable difficulty that they were persuaded to do so. He asked for a fine, and compensation.

ATTACKED WITH  
CHOPPER.ALLEGED ASSAILANT  
COMMITTS SUICIDE.

A double tragedy is reported from Kowloon, where, apparently, after seriously wounding a Chinese with a chopper, his assailant committed suicide by jumping on to the road from a verandah.

According to a report made to the police, a Chinese named Lau Mak-po, forty-five years of age, employed at the Kowloon Godowns, has been sent to the Kowloon Hospital suffering from head injuries of a very serious nature, which, it is alleged, were inflicted by a man named Lau Kang, with a chopper at Haiphong Road, Kowloon, at 11 p.m. yesterday.

Lau Kang then apparently committed suicide by throwing himself from the second floor verandah of No. 9, Haiphong Road.

## CONSTABLE CHARGED.

## HAD TO TELL LIES.

Alleged to have stolen a watch from a prisoner arrested for breach of the Opium Ordinance, a Shantung constable attached to the Mongkok Police Station was charged before Mr. J. H. B. Nihill, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, with larceny, and alternatively with misbehaving himself as a police constable by telling lies.

In answer to the first charge, the defendant pleaded that he took the watch from the arrested man whilst searching him, but he had no intention of stealing it. Regarding the second count, the defendant said that he was obliged to tell lies to the Inspector, as he had lost the watch.

His Worship entered a plea of not guilty on the first count and guilty on the second.

The case was provisionally fixed for to-morrow for hearing.

## ALCOHOL POISONING.

A MURDER CHARGE  
ENTERED.

Buffalo, July 27.

The District Attorney has directed a murder charge to be entered against the person alleged to have dealt in the liquor which resulted in the wood alcohol poisoning fatalities.

Other sources of the deadly traffic are being followed up.—*Reuter's American Service*.

## PRATAS WIRELESS.

## NEW STATION OPENED.

The inauguration of the wireless station on the Pratas Islands took place on Monday, following the arrival there of the Chinese cruiser Hoi Yung, with an official party, which, besides the Commander of the First Chinese Squadron, Rear-Admiral C. L. Chen, and the Director of the Chinese Coastguard Administration Rear-Admiral C. C. Hsu, also included four representatives of the Hongkong Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, and the Commissioner of the Maritime Customs for Kowloon District, Mr. N. R. M. Shaw.

Pressure of work, brought on chiefly by the weather conditions of the previous week, prevented many Hongkong officials from attending.

Squally conditions, obscured the view of the shoals from the cruiser, and they had to be approached with caution, after many hours of careful reconnoitring. However, a landing was effected at last, and the ceremony of throwing Pratas wireless station open was performed on the same day, with much elation and to the accompaniment of appropriate speeches.

The party returned to Hongkong yesterday, the Hoi Yung leaving the Shoula at nine o'clock on Monday night and arriving here at 2.30 yesterday afternoon.

Rear-Admiral C. C. Hsu has since returned to Shanghai. The cruiser is still in port.

IODINE BELOW  
STRENGTH.

## LOCAL CHEMISTS FINED.

As the result of some tincture of iodine from the China Dispensary being found to be below the regulation strength, the Chinese manager was charged before Mr. R. E. Lindsell, at the Central Police Court, this morning.

Mr. E. R. Dovey, Government Analyst, said there should have been .025 grammes of iodine in one millilitre, which was 1/28th part of an ounce. The iodine which was analysed was found to contain .023 grammes of iodine, which was a deficiency of nearly 20%. In England, a margin of 10% error was allowed, but the deficiency would not greatly affect the efficacy of the iodine.

Examined by Mr. E. S. C. Brooks, who appeared for the defence, witness said he had examined many samples, and in one other case there was a deficiency of five or six per cent. Speaking from memory, he believed there had been a previous prosecution against the firm.

The defendant, giving evidence, said the tincture of iodine came from England in large bottles, after which it was put into smaller ones. It had not been tampered with, and, as far as he knew, was the same as when it was sent from England.

A fine of \$50 was imposed.

## MINING BILL PASSED.

## LABOUR MOTION DEFEATED.

London, July 27.

The House of Commons by 312 votes to 125 agreed to the third reading of the Mining Industry Reorganisation Bill, a Labour motion for rejection being defeated.—*Reuter's*.

## EXCHANGE RATES.

Rugby, July 27.

Paris	199 1/2
Brussels	199 1/2
Amsterdam	12.10
Berlin	20.42
Copenhagen	16.34
Vienna	34.42 1/2
Helsingfors	108 1/2
Lisbon	21.73 1/2
Buenos Aires	45.10
Shanghai	104 1/2
Yokohama	111 1/2
New York	436 1/2
Milan	25.11 1/2
Stockholm	18.10
Oslo	22.15
Prague	164 1/2
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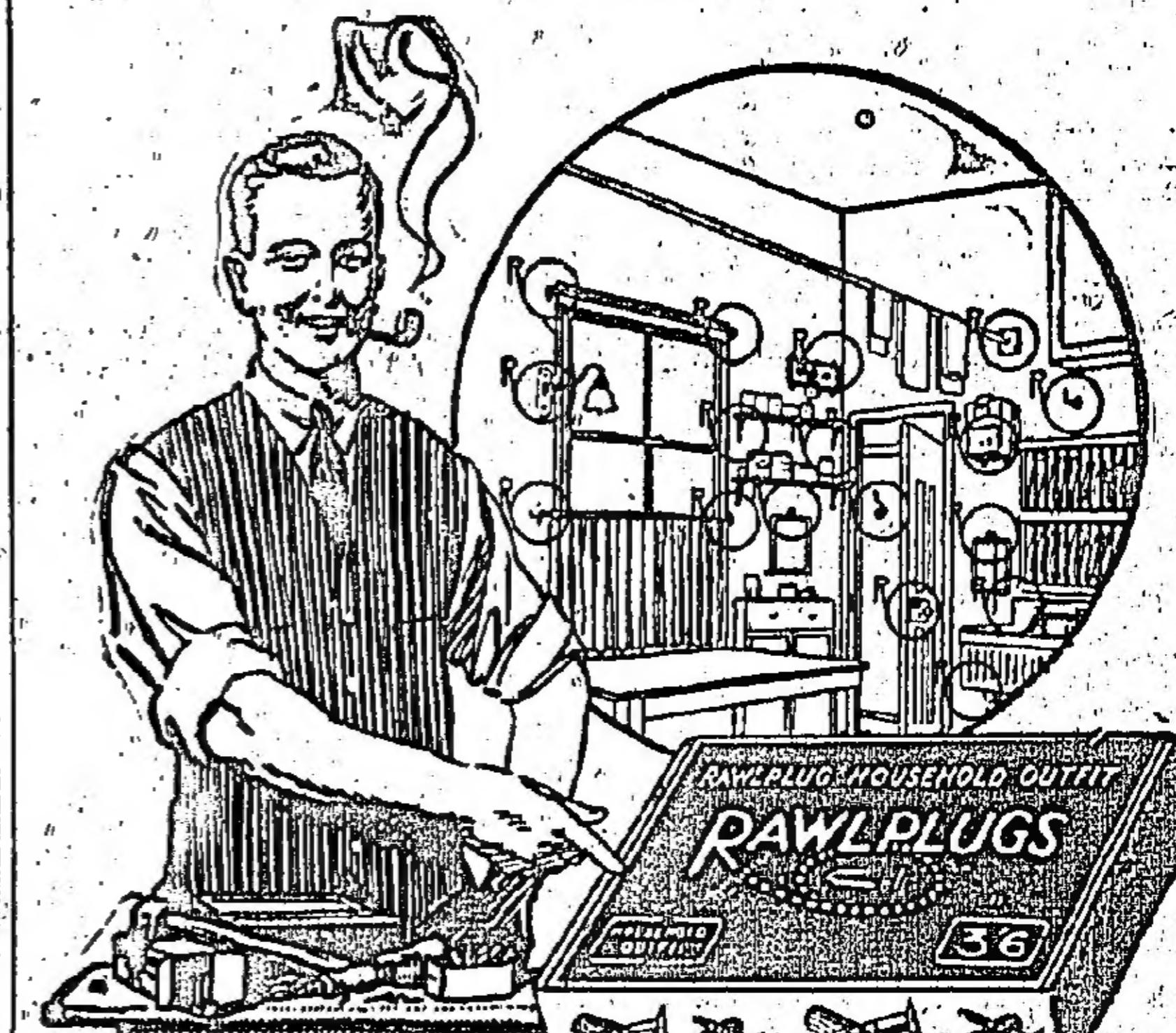
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### BERLIN POLICE.

#### SOME BITTER COMPLAINTS.

At long last the Berlin Police man has discovered that "a policeman's lot is not a happy one" and he is protesting in consequence.

It is certainly an extraordinary thing that no fewer than 4,000 of Berlin's policemen should meet in order to condemn the way in which they are being treated. It was noticeable that they criticised their officers very strongly.

"We are being drilled much more than we were before the war," a speaker said, "and our officers 'slang' us more rudely. We are called 'idiots,' 'sheepheads,' 'scoundrels,' and 'asses,' and if we complain it is we who are punished.

#### "Super-Militarism."

The speaker said that the police force of the country was really "super-militarism."

Even a policeman who had done his military service before the war, who had been through the war, and was now between 40 and 45 years of age, had to drill in the barracks like a recruit, and with young men of 20 or so.

As an example of the "super-militarism" prevailing, the speaker gave an example of the officially-approved method of arresting a man.

The man is seized and put up against a wall; he is then searched. That having been done, the policeman retires three steps, draws his revolver, points it at the man. Then the order is given: "Right turn, march!"

And off the man marches to the police station, the policeman following and covering the man with the revolver!

A resolution was passed warning the authorities that they were about to place the last straw on the policeman's back, and calling for the abolition of the excessive military drill to which the policemen are subjected.

#### Arms.

There is little doubt that the authorities regard the police force as part of the military forces of the country. The policemen are certainly armed to an excessive extent. It is quite a common sight to see policemen going about with

A rifle,

A revolver,

A bayonet and

An indiarubber club.

Policemen on duty generally have all these weapons except the first named.

It is certainly a danger that young men, badly educated and improperly trained, as speakers at the meeting said they were, should be on duty armed in such a way, and it is this that has led to countless "regrettable incidents" regarding which the public can get no satisfaction, and against which there is no protection.

#### WISHED TO RESIGN.

#### MIDY REFUSES TO TAKE OATH.

Annapolis, Md., June 3.—Midshipman E. B. Zirkle, of Garden City, Kans., to-day refused to take the oath of induction into the United States Navy upon Graduation with his class from the naval academy here. Secretary of the Navy Wilbur, who had delivered an address to the graduating midshipmen, and to whom the case was referred, ordered the young man assigned to a station aboard the battleship New York, which leaves on a coastal cruise tomorrow.

The case was the first of its kind ever reported at the academy. Admiral Louis M. Nulton, commander of the midshipmen, said tonight: "After the class of 446 had received diplomas, they were marched to the commandant's office to be sworn into the naval service as ensigns and lieutenants. Midshipman Zirkle, then announced that he would not take the oath because he did not wish to continue in the service and felt that he 'wished to do something else.'

A ruling of the Naval Department, now in force, requires that a midshipman serve two years in the service after graduation before his resignation may be considered. The young man has been attempting to resign for several months. Admiral Nulton said, although his ranking in conduct and academic record has been high.



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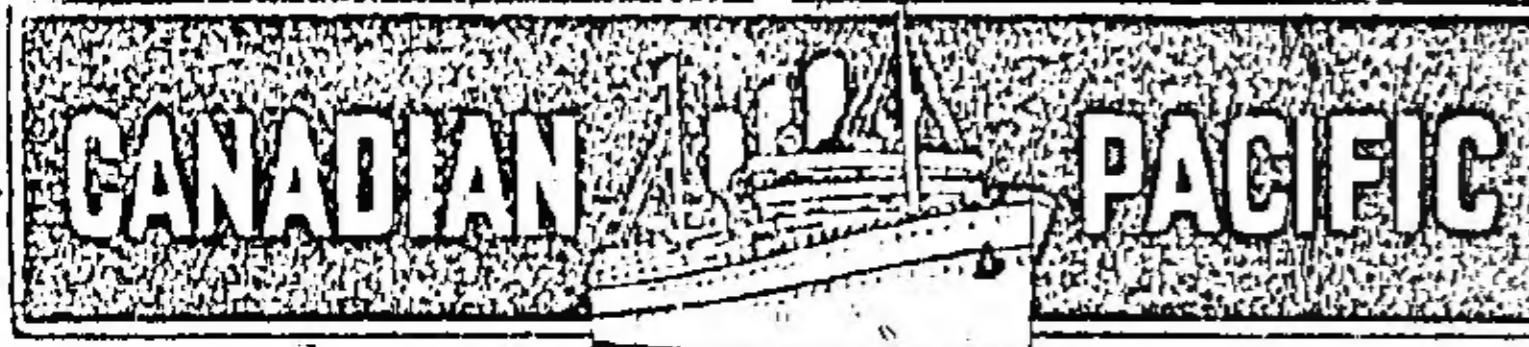
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TAKADA	6,949	6th Aug.	Shanghai Moji & Kobe
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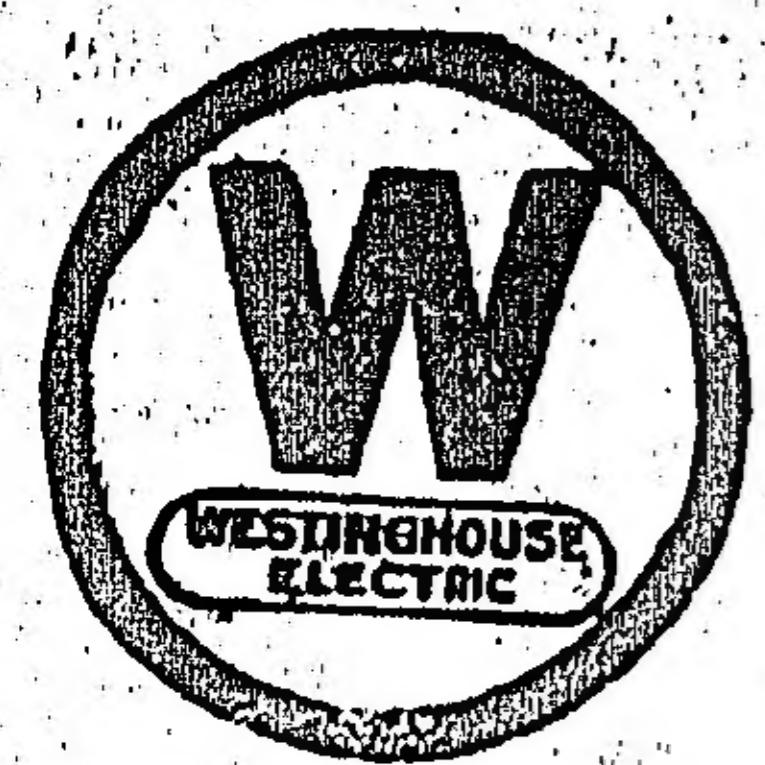
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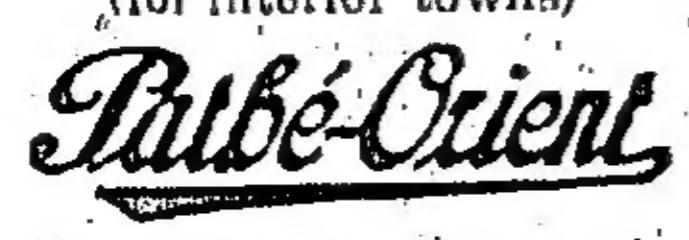
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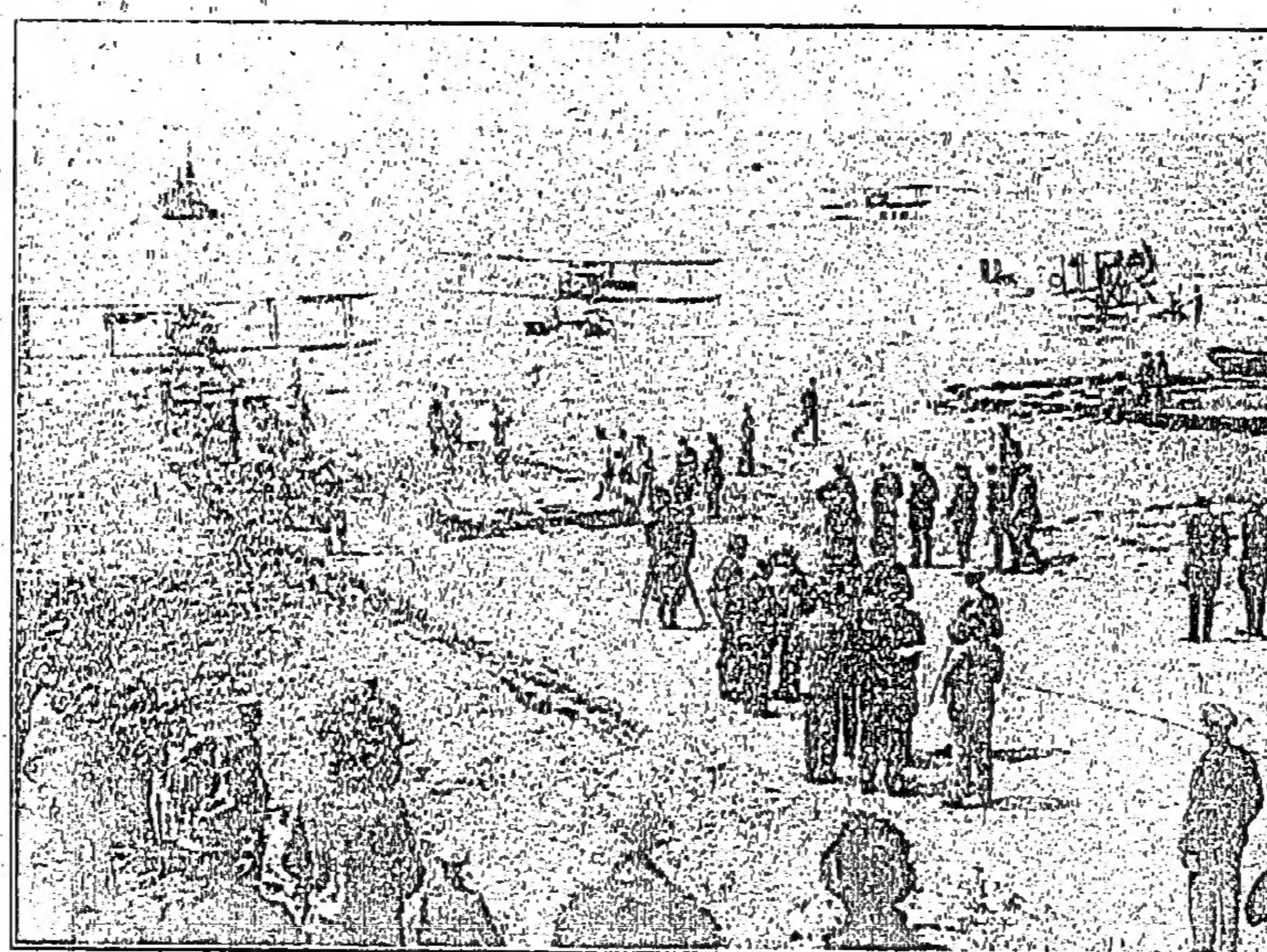
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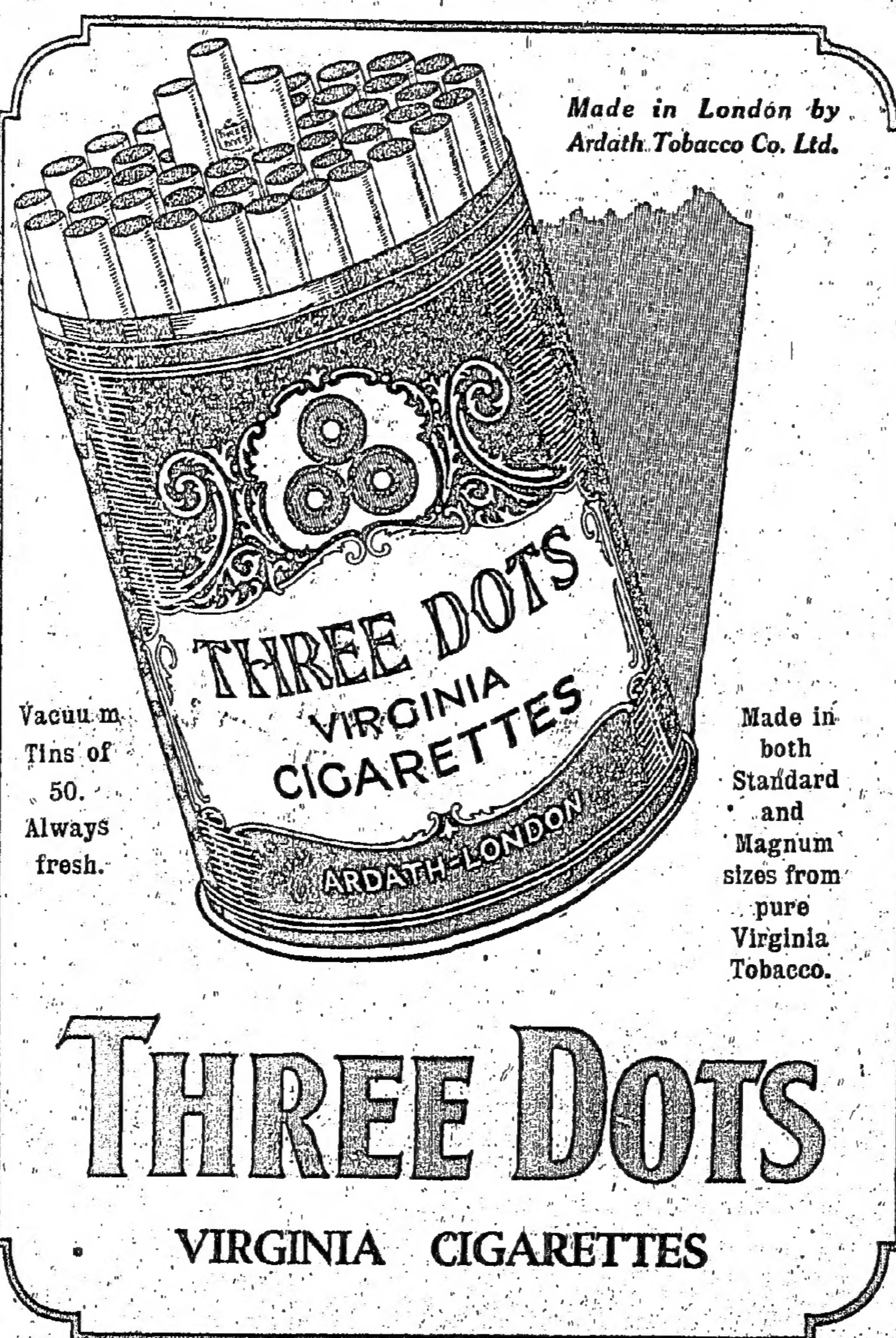
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